

REMARKS

I. Amendments to the Specification

The specification is amended herein to correct typographical errors by replacing all occasions of "V02" and "V0²" with "VO₂". No new matter is introduced as a result of these amendments.

II. Amendments to the Claims

Claims 1, 4, 7, 10, 23, 27, 33, and 34 are amended herein before substantive examination of the current application. These amendments do not alter the scope of the claims as originally filed. No new matter is introduced as a result of these amendments.

III. Conclusion

The Applicant believes no fees or petitions are due with this filing. However, should any such fees or petitions be required, please consider this a request therefor and authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 04-1415 as necessary.

If the Examiner should have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

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Respectfully submitted,



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